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THE FOOTBALL LEAGUE RESTRUCTURING

Since the article appeared in the Club Programme on 23rd November, 1985 regarding the private negotiations being held between the First and Second Division clubs on a Football League restructure, many meetings have been held and a number of reports have been published in an attempt to progress the restructuring.

During all these negotiations the Third and Fourth Division clubs have had very little say in their own destiny. The only favourable comment to the lower division clubs is the assurance that there is no intention of the First and Second Division clubs discarding the clubs in the lower divisions. This is due almost entirely to the demands of the Professional Footballers Association, who do not want to see their membership reduced by some considerable numbers should clubs be forced into reducing staff and in many cases going part-time.

The Football League Management Committee have now brought the matter to a head by calling an Extraordinary General Meeting of all clubs in London on Tuesday, 4th March, 1986. At this meeting proposals will be put to the clubs in a so called attempt to streamline the Football League. In our opinion it is only another attempt to redistribute the money coming into the game, giving more to the First Division clubs and progressively less to the lower divisions. Bolton Wanderers can ill afford to lose another £40,000 to £50,000 revenue each year and will fight all the way in negotiations to ensure the continued survival of the club. We shall not be fighting alone. The eight other Associate Member clubs in this region are also adamant that they must fight the financial changes recommended. Only time will tell if we have been successful in convincing the Member clubs that the recommendations will be financial suicide for many of the current League clubs.

In the Press this week the First Division clubs are demanding that the League must adopt the 10 point plan put forward by them. Up to going to print we have not seen the 10 point plan, although at a meeting of the Associate Member clubs in London last Wednesday the committee confirmed that there was a 10 point plan which was being prepared to put to a meeting of the Football League in the near future. If the recommendations outlined at the meeting on Wednesday were to be accepted then the Third and Fourth Division clubs could be losing up to £3,000,000 in income. The drastic repercussions of this loss of revenue have yet to be fully realised.

FRONT COVER: Heads it's mine as Bolton Wanderers defender DAVE SUTTON challenges Bristol Rovers defender JOHN SCALES.



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PROFILE OF A WANDERER

No. 20
STEVE
CARROLL



BIRTHPLACE: Hull.
BIRTHDATE: 6.1.54.
HEIGHT: 5' 9".
WEIGHT: 11st 10lbs.
FAMILY: Wife Lynn.
PREVIOUS CLUBS:
Halifax Town.
NICKNAME: Too
many to list.
STRIKER MOST
ADMIRER: Andy Gray.
MIDFIELDER MOST
ADMIRER: Ray
Wilkins.

DEFENDER MOST
ADMIRER: Paul
McGrath.
GOALKEEPERS MOST
ADMIRER: Peter
Shilton, Dino Zoff.
PLAYER FOR THE
FUTURE: Hopefully a
Wanderers youth
player.
FAVOURITE OTHER
TEAM: Manchester
United.
HERO AS A BOY:
Dennis Law.
FAVOURITE
SPORTING MOMENT:
European Cup Final
(Manchester United v
Benfica, 1968,
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FAVOURITE AWAY
GROUND: Roker Park.
BIGGEST INFLUENCE
ON CAREER: Bill
Foulkes, father, Dick
Bate (first team coach
at Notts County).
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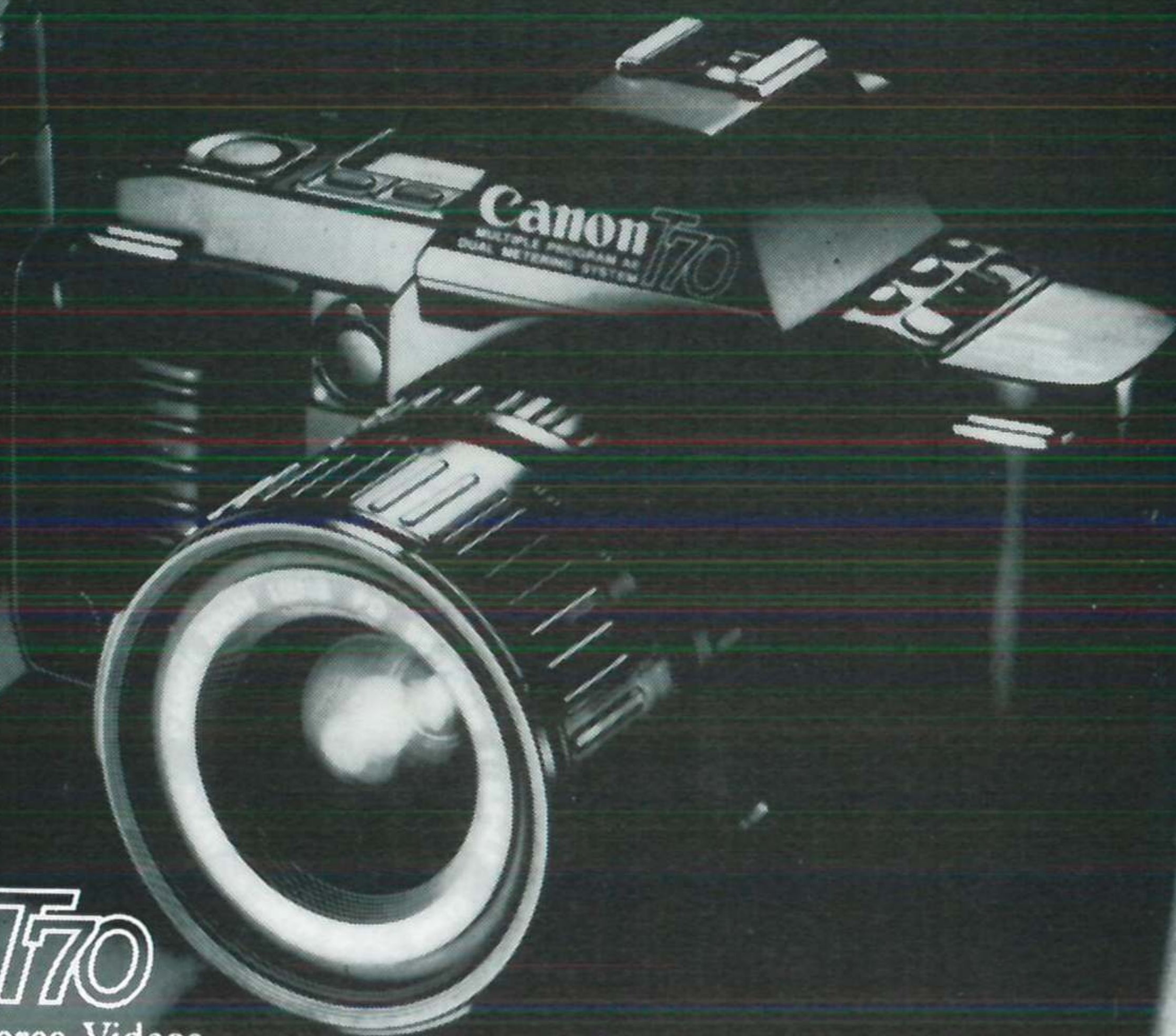


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NEWPORT COUNTY

NEWPORT PULL CLEAR OF TROUBLE

by Tony Pullein

An encouraging revival has enabled Newport to pull out of immediate relegation danger and, if they can maintain current form, they should achieve a place of safety in mid-table. The Welsh club has been beaten only once in its last 10 League matches.

Bobby Smith's team has a very good away record, having been beaten only four times away from Somerton Park in the League — at Plymouth (0-2), Walsall (0-2), Chesterfield (1-3) and Bristol Rovers (0-2).

Newport won at Wolves (2-1) and Bournemouth (1-0) and have picked up single points from Swansea (1-1), Lincoln (1-1), Brentford (0-0), Wigan (0-0), Bury (1-1), Cardiff (1-1), Doncaster (1-1) and Rotherham (0-0).

Mr Smith, who took over at Somerton Park last summer, has added several experienced players to his staff. He signed former Wales winger Leighton James from Bury and that proven goalscorer, Gordon Staniforth, from Plymouth before the season started. He later signed former England forward Bob Latchford, on loan from Lincoln, and last week introduced yet another well-known goalscorer to the side — Alan Mayes, who is on loan from Carlisle.

The Newport manager also signed midfield man Steve Berry from Sunderland and another newcomer this season is forward Steve Mardenborough, signed from Swansea. Mr Smith has also given opportunities to non-contract players Peter Jones, Ken Gill and Darren Peacock.

It's beginning to look as if Newport will again finish as the most successful of the four Football League clubs in Wales. Cardiff and Swansea are both below them in the table and Wrexham are in the lower half of Division Four.

Three seasons ago Newport were poised to win promotion to the Second Division until a late collapse killed those

dreams. Newport have spent one solitary season in their history as a Second Division club. They won the Third Division (South) championship in 1939 but, because of the war, had to wait seven years before they could take their place in Division Two.

By then their promotion team had dispersed or grown old and they struggled all the way, losing one game by the Football League's record score of 0-13 at Newcastle. The Magpies also missed a penalty before they opened the scoring!

In 1962 they dropped into the Fourth Division and the following years were quite disastrous. At one stage attendances dropped to below the 2,000 mark and the club seemed sure to fold. Neither the Welsh F.A. nor the local council would come to their aid with any form of loan and it is something of a miracle how the directors managed to keep things going.

The corner was eventually turned in 1980 when, in addition to winning promotion, Newport won the Welsh Cup for the first time. They battled their way to the quarter-finals of the European Cup-Winners' Cup the following season.

Newport County F.C. was formed in 1912, taking their place immediately in the Second Division of the Southern League. It was fortuitous that they should gain election to the increased First Division after the First World War for, at the end of the first post-war season, the entire section was taken over by the Football League to form the Third Division (South) in 1920.

They failed to gain re-election in 1931 but, after only one season in non-League football, they were voted back again.

MARK KENDALL (Goalkeeper). Mark played for Wales' schoolboys and was spotted at an early age by Tottenham. He made his League debut for Spurs in

1978 and held his place for more than half the season. He dropped out the next season, when he joined Chesterfield on loan. Newport paid a then club record fee of £45,000 to sign him in 1980. Mark is a Wales Under-21 international.

LINDEN JONES (Defender). Linden served his apprenticeship with Cardiff City, making his first League appearances in 1978/79. Three seasons later he was introduced to the Wales Under-21 side, winning three caps. He joined Newport in a player-exchange deal during the early weeks of 1983/84.

TERRY BOYLE (Defender). Terry started his professional career with Tottenham, but didn't get into their League XI. He moved on to Crystal Palace in 1977 and, though he was not always a member of their first-team, he won two full caps for Wales. Terry has also represented his country at Under-21, Youth and Schoolboy levels. Following a loan spell with Wimbledon, he was transferred to Bristol City in 1981 and he moved on to Newport a year later.

ROY CARTER (Midfield/Defender). Hereford United introduced Roy to League soccer in 1975 and he enjoyed just over two years as a first-teamer before moving on to Swindon. After playing more than 200 games for the Robins, he joined Torquay in 1982 and it was two seasons ago that he made his way to Somerton Park.

PETER JONES (Defender). Peter was signed from Southern League Merthyr last summer and has been holding the left-back position from the opening day of the season.

JOHN RELISH (Defender/Midfield). John started his career with Chester and made his first appearances in their League team in 1972/73. The following season he joined Bury on loan and in 1974 he was transferred to Newport. He



Back Row (from left): Leighton James (Player/Coach), Graham Rogers, Chris Townsend (no longer with club), Steve Dowman (now Cambridge), Mark Kendall, Trevor Matthewson (now Stockport), Roy Carter, Tony Pulis, John Relish (Player/Coach).
Front Row: Linden Jones, John Lewis, Bobby Smith (Manager), Terry Boyle (Captain), Dave Williams (Trainer), Steve Mardenborough.

now looks back on well over 300 League appearances for the club.

TONY PULIS (Midfield). Tony can play in defence or midfield and he opened his League career with Bristol Rovers in 1975/76. In 1981 he travelled to the other side of the world to sign for Happy Valley of Hong Kong, but he returned to England in 1982 to resume his career with Bristol Rovers. Newport signed him in 1984.

DARREN PEACOCK (Defender). Darren joined the club as a non-contract player and made his League debut, as substitute, at Plymouth in September. He has since played several games in defence.

KEN GILL (Midfield). Ken was signed from Southern League club Forest Green. He made his League debut against Bristol City in October.

STEVE BERRY (Midfield). Steve played for Sunderland in last season's Milk Cup final and was transferred to Newport this season. He began his career with Portsmouth, making his League debut in 1981.

LEIGHTON JAMES (Forward). Leighton is a player of vast experience

who joined the club from Bury last summer. Capped 34 times by Wales, he started his career with Burnley. Derby signed him for £300,000 in 1975 and he moved on to Q.P.R. in an exchange deal in 1977. He re-joined Burnley for £165,000 in 1978, then linked with Swansea in a £130,000 deal, two years later. Sunderland signed him in 1983 and he moved on to Bury in 1984.

STEVE MARDENBOROUGH (Forward/Midfield). Steve was a reserve player with Coventry and it was after joining Wolves in 1983 that he made his League debut. He also played League soccer with Cambridge, whilst on loan, in 1983/84. Swansea signed him in 1984 and he became a fixture in their senior side last season. Newport signed him in the summer.

GORDON STANIFORTH (Forward). Gordon was signed from Plymouth last summer. Hull City introduced him to League football in 1974 but it was after joining York City in 1976 that he earned a regular place. He was top scorer on two occasions before joining Carlisle for £120,000 in 1979. Plymouth signed him in 1983 and he was a member of their F.A. Cup semi-final team of 1984.

BOB LATCHFORD (Forward). Bob joined Newport on loan from Lincoln City. Once a top scorer with Birmingham, he commanded a record £35,000 fee when he joined Everton in 1974. He was the Toffees top scorer in his first five seasons and he played for England on 12 occasions. Swansea signed him in 1981 and he later joined Dutch club NAC Breda. He returned to England to join Coventry in 1984 and he moved on to Lincoln last summer.

ALAN MAYES (Forward). Alan celebrated his Newport debut with a goal against Swansea last Sunday. He is currently on a month's loan from Carlisle. Once a Q.P.R. reserve, Alan entered League soccer with Watford in 1974. During his stay at Vicarage Road, he was loaned to Northampton and in 1978 he was transferred to Swindon for £80,000. Chelsea signed him for £200,000 in 1981 but he returned to Swindon two years later and moved up to Carlisle last summer.

JOHN LEWIS (Forward). John developed with Cardiff City, making the first of his 159-plus first-team appearances in 1978/79. He won Wales Under-21 honours and moved on to Newport two seasons ago.

CLUB NEWS

Game On

Burnden Park again defeated the weather last Saturday when the 'A' team defeated Southport Reserves 3-0. Bolton's goals came from Paul Allen, Mark Ainsworth and Paul Griffin on a pitch that was frozen but flat. Although the undersoil heating is only turned on for first team games the Wanderers must be one of the few clubs in the country to have had no home game called off this season.

In Reserve

29th January 1986. Bolton Wanderers Reserve 3, Rotherham United Reserve 2.

The Wanderers fought back from the dead to take the points after finding themselves two goals down with only 12 minutes of the game remaining.

United had taken the lead after only 80 seconds through Morris and went further ahead in the 27th minute when Scott headed home a right-wing corner.

Bolton's comeback commenced in the 78th minute when Ian Mullineux fired home a Roger Walker cross. The Wanderers equalised six minutes later when Chris Banks, who was making his central league debut, fired past an unsighted Newcombe in the Rotherham goal. In the final minute Wayne Entwistle grabbed the winning goal with a spectacular volley from a Paul Fitzpatrick free kick. Seconds later Entwistle almost scored another spectacular goal, this time from a driving header, but his effort brought the save of the evening out of Newcombe.

Team: Armfield, Fitzpatrick, Whitlow, Banks, Winstanley, Allardyce, Walker, Hughes, Entwistle, Joyce, Mullineux. Sub: Shepherd.

3rd February 1986. Oldham Athletic Reserve 1, Bolton Wanderers Reserve 2.

A young Bolton Reserve side gave one of their best performances of the season to defeat a strong Oldham side at Boundary Park.

Roger Walker caused problems for the Oldham defence early on and it was his shot that took a deflection off Jimmy Collins to give Bolton the lead after 17 minutes.

Mike Quinn equalised for Oldham in the 33rd minute when he turned sharply to volley past Mark Edmondson, who was making his central league debut, in the Wanderers' goal. This was the only occasion that Bolton's central defensive duo of Mark Winstanley and Julian Darby allowed the Oldham strike force of Quinn and David Fairclough the time to capitalise on any chances.

Bolton's winning goal came in the 64th minute when from a Mike Whitlow corner, Mark Winstanley fired past full-back Willie Donachie, with goalkeeper Ian Rowbotham in no man's land.

Team: Edmondson, Fitzpatrick, Whitlow, Banks, Winstanley, Darby, Walker, Hughes, Roberts, Shepherd, Mullineux. Sub: Senior.

5th February 1986. Bolton Wanderers Reserve 0, York City Reserve 1.

The Wanderers gave a disappointing performance after their good showing at Oldham two days earlier.

The only goal of the game came after six minutes when Marco Gabiadini raced clear of the Wanderers' defence to fire home from eight yards.

Clear cut chances were few and far between on a hard ground that had a light covering of snow. Bolton's best chances of equalising fell to Horwich RMI striker Tony Ellis, firstly his 25-yard effort went straight into the goalkeeper's hands and secondly his goal-bound volley struck a York defender and went for a corner.

Team: Edmondson, Neal, Whitlow, Banks, Winstanley, Haydock, Walker, Entwistle, Ellis, Allen, Bell. Sub: Lloyd.

In Retrospect

We welcome Newport County to Burnden Park today for the sixth football league game between the two clubs. To date the Wanderers have the advantage having won three to County's two which have all taken place at third division level.

The first game took place here at Burnden in October 1983 when Newport ran out 3-2 winners, thanks to two goals in the last two minutes, inflicting the Wanderers' first home defeat of the season.

A Linden Jones free-kick gave County the lead after 25 minutes but on the stroke of half time Tony Caldwell raced 40 yards to equalise with a shot from close in. Jeff Chandler headed home a Steve Thompson corner in the 67th minute but goals in the dying minutes from Tony Reid and Roy Carter won the points for the Welshmen.

The two sides for that first-ever game between the clubs were:

Bolton: Farnworth, Borrowes, Deakin, Joyce, McElhinney, Valentine, Thompson, Chandler, Rudge, Caldwell, Redfern. Sub: Berry.

Newport: Kendall, Jones, Relish, Reid, Boyle, Oakes, Martinez, Aldridge, Micallef, Carter, Lewis. Sub: Stroud.

The Wanderers gained revenge in their first-ever visit to Somerton Park with a 3-2 victory. They stormed into a three-goal half time lead with Neil Whatmore, Steve Thompson and Warren Joyce finding the net. The second half was a complete contrast with Newport scoring through Tarki Micallef, with his first goal for the club, and Chris Lillygreen.

The third game between the clubs also ended in a 3-2 scoreline, this time Newport taking the points at Somerton Park in November 1984. The Welshmen took a three-goal lead with goals from Neville Chamberlain, Terry Boyle and Steve Cooper but Bolton hit back when Wayne Foster scored from 15 yards in the 63rd minute. Steve Thompson curled a free kick round the Newport wall two minutes from time to score Bolton's second but it proved too late to save the game.

Last season Bolton took the points at Burnden with a 3-1 victory. It was a game County goalkeeper Mark Kendall will want to forget as he was responsible for the Wanderers' first two goals. He failed to hold shots from Jeff Chandler and Steve Thompson and on each occasion Tony Caldwell was on hand to slot home.

Down memory lane

15 years ago: 20th February 1971. Wanderers' team manager Jimmy Meadows went for experience for the visit to Birmingham City, bringing in Warwick Rimmer and Gareth Williams, for Paul Jones and Ian Seddon. City had gone nine games without defeat and a crowd of 25,600 saw 16-year-old Trevor Francis sink Bolton, with all his side's goals in a 4-0 win.

To rub salt into the wounds two of the goals were set up by former winger Gordon Taylor, in a game that saw both Gareth Williams and Charlie Hurley make their last league appearances for the club.

27th February 1971. Bolton made a number of changes for the visit of promotion hopefuls Leicester City to Burnden. Goalkeeper Alan Boswell was relegated to the third team allowing Peter Clarke to take over and schoolboy Barry Siddall to play in the reserves.

Unfortunately, the Wanderers again crashed, to a 3-0 defeat with all Leicester's goals coming from set pieces. The first was after only three minutes from an Ally Brown free-kick, centre-half John Sjöberg scored the other two, both being at corner-kick situations.

City goalkeeper Peter Shilton made spectacular saves from both Ian Seddon and Don McAllister as the Wanderers slipped into 21st place in the Second Division with only one goal in the last five games.

10 years ago: 18th February 1976. Bolton visited Newcastle United for an F.A. Cup fifth round replay and became the first side to prevent the Geordies from scoring at St. James's Park that season, with a 0-0 win after extra time before 50,381.

The Wanderers more than held their own against a side that were in search of a Wembley double having already reached the League Cup final.

The best chance of an exciting cup tie fell to Bolton when in the 64th minute goalkeeper Mike Mahoney half stopped a Garry Jones shot, John Byrom raced in, his shot struck the post and Neil Whatmore smashed the rebound against the underside of the bar, before Newcastle cleared the danger.

21st February 1976. An 88th minute goal sent the Wanderers to a 3-2 defeat at Carlisle United. Peter Reid fired Bolton in front after 16 minutes but a John Ritson own goal and an effort from John Lathan gave the home side the lead.

Sam Allardyce headed an equaliser in the 70th minute but in the dying stages defender Eddie Spearitt fired home United's winner.

23rd February 1976. Bolton went out of the F.A. Cup losing 2-1 to Newcastle United in a fifth round second replay at Leeds. Micky Burns scored the first for United after 15 minutes and when Alan Gowling glanced a header past Barry Siddall in the 57th minute the tie seemed over. The Wanderers fought back with Garry Jones netting in the 66th minute and from then on laid an almost continual siege on United's goal but try as they might the equaliser proved elusive.

5 years ago: 14th February 1981. Bolton came only the second club to lose to bottom club Bristol Rovers that season. Paul Randall fired Rovers in front after only two minutes but Alan Gowling snatched an equaliser in the 71st minute, only for Randall to grab their winner, two minutes later.

22nd February 1981. The Wanderers were again to experiment with Sunday football for the visit of Oldham Athletic. Unfortunately an untimely snowfall rendered the terraces unsafe despite a near perfect pitch. Centre-half Gerry McElhinney was pulled out of the Northern Ireland squad for the game against Scotland as the Oldham game was rearranged for the 24th February 1981.

Bolton eased their relegation worries by defeating Oldham 2-0. Neil Whatmore opened the scoring after 15 minutes collecting his 11th goal of the season and John Thomas grabbed Bolton's second in the 50th minute after a mistake by Kenny Clements.

In the dying seconds the Wanderers were awarded a penalty when Nick Sinclair brought down David Burke but Alan Gowling's spot kick hit the crossbar and bounced clear.

CLUB NEWS

CONTINUED

Jeff Chandler scored Bolton's third in the 82nd minute for a fine individual goal after a 50-yard run. Steve Cooper netted Newport's consolation goal three minutes from time although the same player was guilty of missing simple opportunities early in the second half.

Earlier this season the Wanderers took the points with a 1-0 victory at Somerton Park. George Oghani headed home the winner after 71 minutes to register Bolton's first away win of the season.

Our league record against Newport is as follows:—

	P	W	D	L	F	A
Home	2	1	0	1	5	4
Away	3	2	0	1	6	5
Total	5	3	0	2	11	9

Felgate returns

A warm welcome back to Burnden to goalkeeper David Felgate who joins the Wanderers on a months' loan from Grimsby Town.

The goalkeeper from Blaenau Festiniog was a product of the Wanderers youth policy and was part of the successful team that won the Lancashire Youth Cup in 1978, defeating Manchester United in the final.

He had loan periods at both Rochdale and Crewe with his only first team appearances for the Wanderers being in a friendly against Malawi which took place at Charley, in the club's First Division days of 1979/80. David joined Lincoln City in November 1980 for a fee of £25,000.

Junior Whites News



Today's mascot is Matthew Openshaw who lives on Sharman Street, Bolton. Matthew attends St. Williams High School and plays for them on the left wing. Matthew is also a Manchester United supporter.

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SLIMMERS OF THE YEAR



The two Slimmers of the Year at Pat's Slimming Club, held at Burnden Park are BARRY WHYTE who has lost 11 stone in the past 12 months and is now 16 stone and JEAN KNOWLES who has lost 5 stone in the past 12 months and is now 8 stones 10 pounds.

CENTRAL LEAGUE

DIVISION ONE

(up to and including Saturday 1st February)

	Gls.						
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Manchester United	21	13	2	6	34	16	41
Derby County	18	13	1	4	42	15	40
Manchester City	21	11	5	5	42	23	38
Liverpool	20	10	3	7	48	32	33
Leicester City	21	9	4	8	40	40	31
Sheffield Wednesday	20	9	3	8	33	29	30
Leeds United	21	10	0	11	47	50	30
Aston Villa	19	9	2	8	36	39	29
Nottingham Forest	20	9	1	10	48	40	28
Blackburn Rovers	21	9	1	11	40	34	28
Hull City	19	9	1	9	29	32	28
Newcastle United	20	8	3	9	38	43	27
Sheffield United	20	7	2	11	20	49	23
Barnsley	18	7	1	10	29	36	22
West Bromwich Albion	18	5	6	7	25	37	21
Huddersfield Town	19	5	5	9	34	45	20
Wigan Athletic	17	5	2	10	21	30	17
Everton	17	5	2	10	14	28	17

CENTRAL LEAGUE

DIVISION TWO

(up to and including Saturday 1st February)

	Gls.						
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Oldham Athletic	19	13	3	3	42	22	42
Sunderland	20	12	4	4	51	29	40
Blackpool	20	10	6	4	48	32	36
Grimsby Town	20	12	0	8	39	31	36
York City	18	10	4	4	26	21	34
Notts County	20	10	3	7	52	34	33
Middlesbrough	19	9	4	6	47	28	31
Coventry City	17	10	1	6	34	19	31
Bolton Wanderers	20	9	3	8	36	37	30
Bradford City	18	6	6	6	33	28	24
Port Vale	18	6	6	6	26	33	24
Scunthorpe United	19	6	5	8	29	35	23
Wolverhampton W.	18	7	0	11	33	46	21
Rotherham United	19	5	3	11	32	43	18
Doncaster Rovers	20	3	7	10	27	45	16
Stoke City	19	4	3	12	28	53	15
Burnley	18	2	5	11	21	18	11
Preston North End	16	1	5	10	22	49	8

LOCAL DERBY

Wanderers v Blackpool

Easter Monday

31st March, 1986

KICK-OFF 11.00 a.m.



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2. WARREN JOYCE fires in a shot towards the Bristol Rovers goal.
3. GEORGE OGHANI in action against Bristol Rovers.

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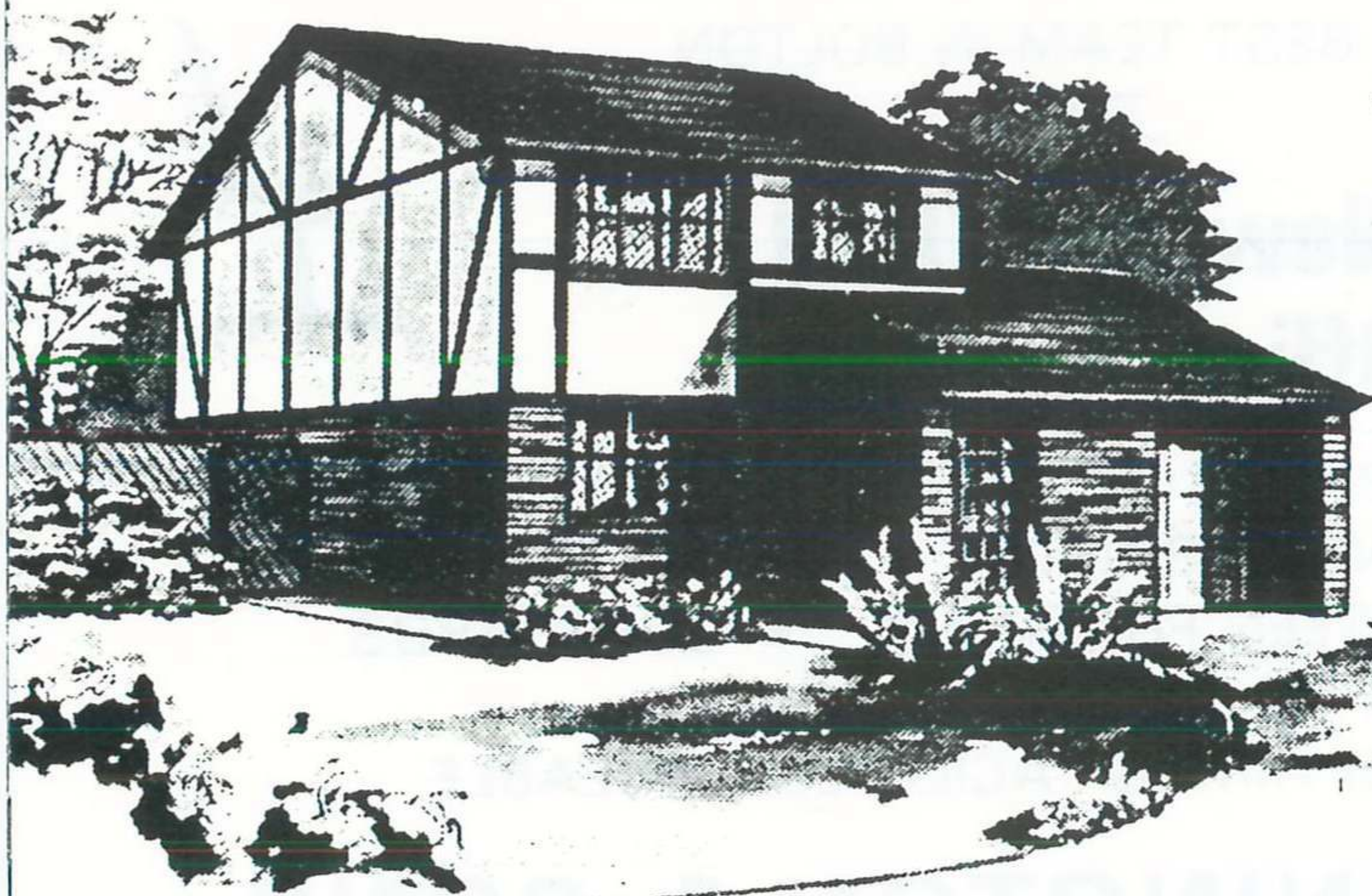
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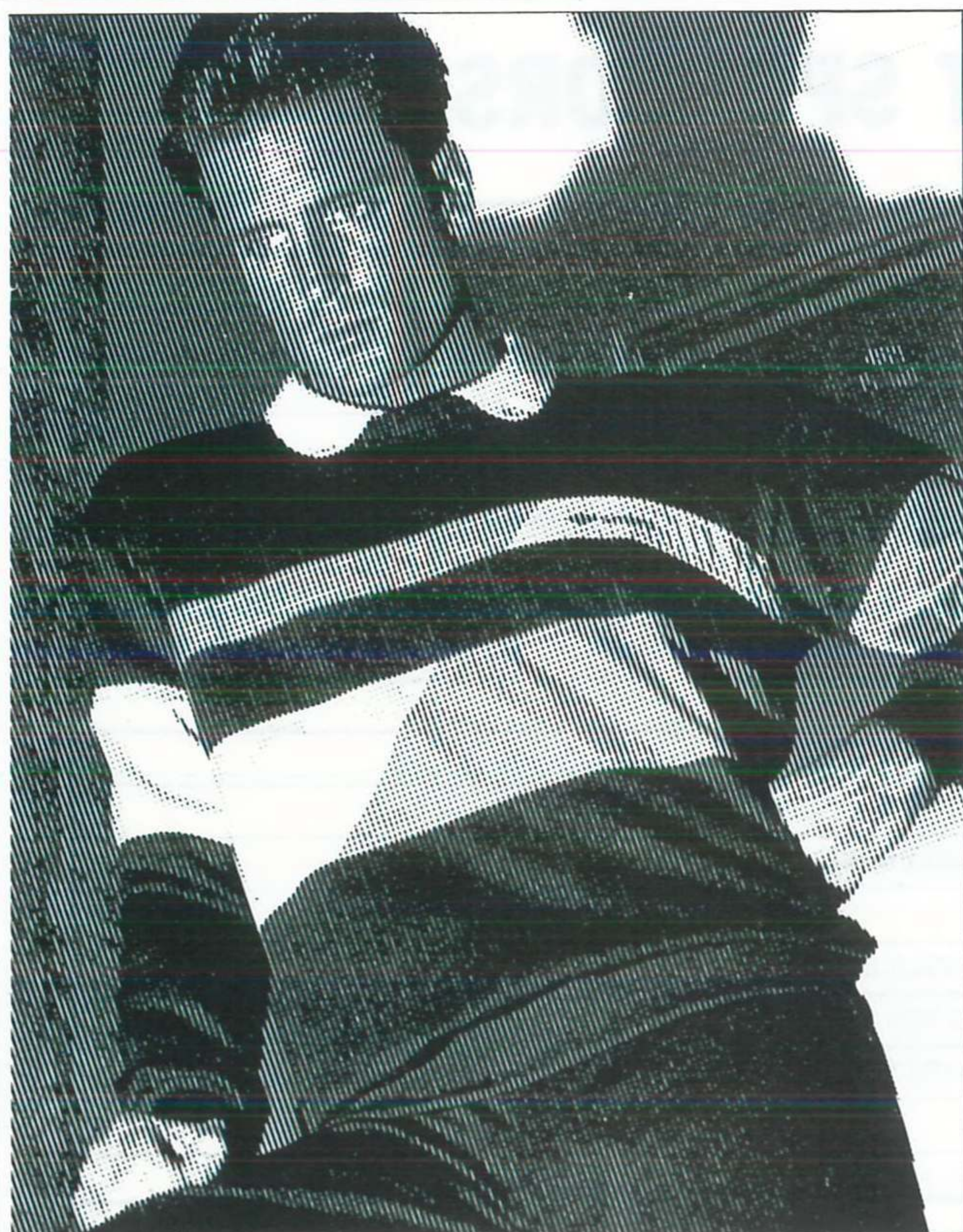
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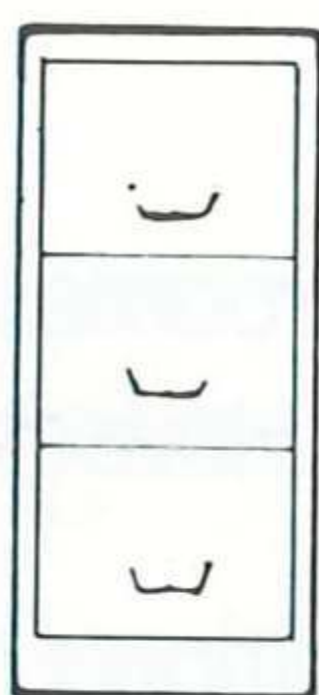


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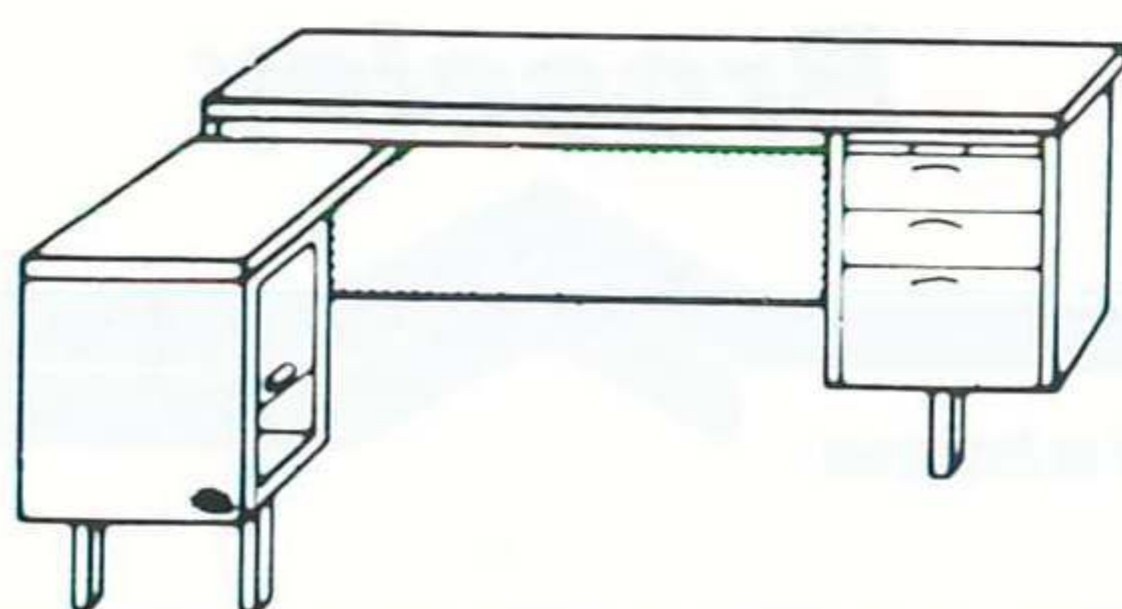
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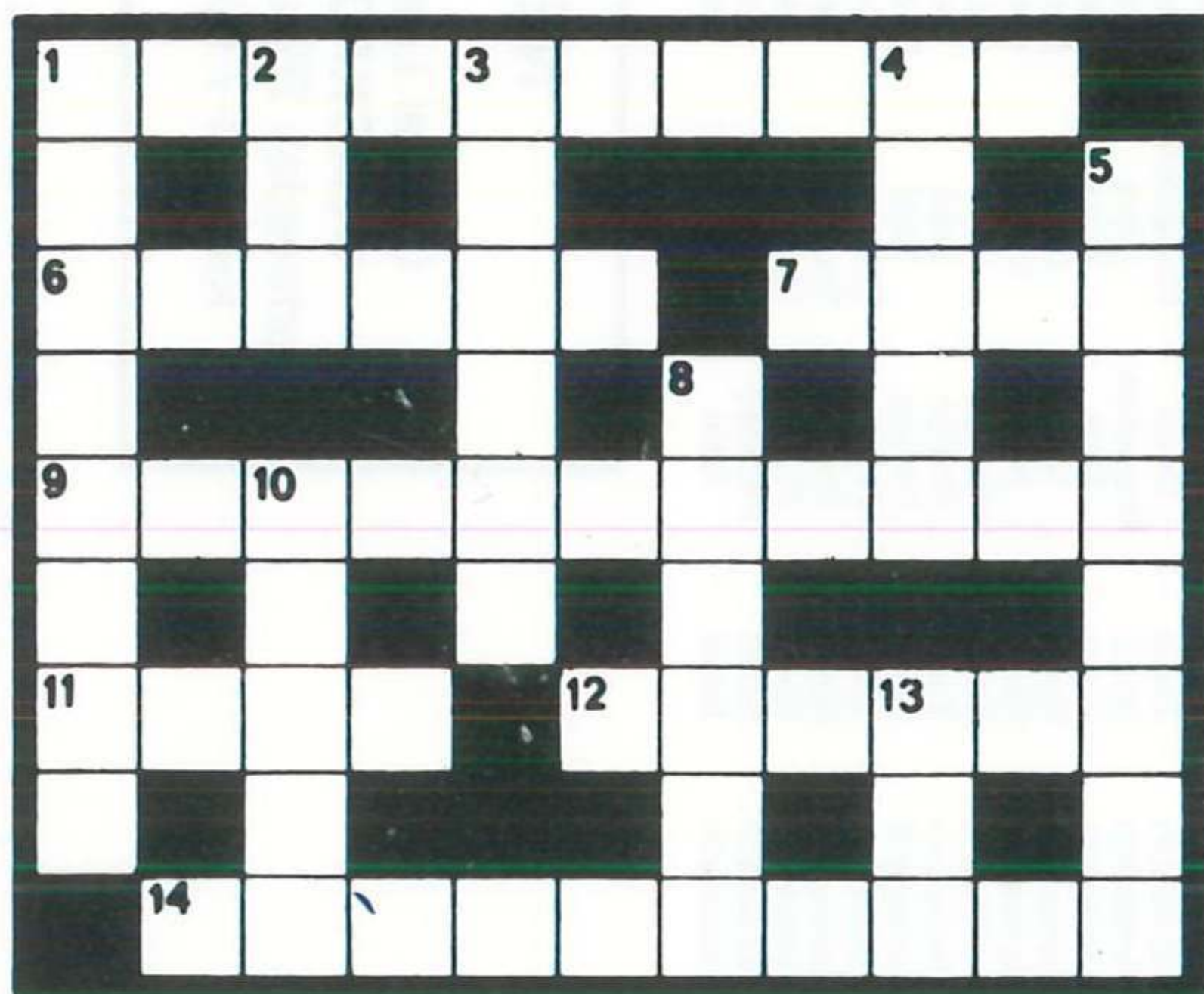
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PUZZLE PAGE

CROSSWORD No. 20

ACROSS

- Reading's old nickname (10)
- Alan _____, Welsh international mainly seen in two spells with Swansea, but also in the line-ups of Leeds and Southampton (6).
- Belgrade's Red _____ must be good for five points! (4)
- The rest of Hamilton? (11)
- _____ Rajkovic, another Swansea two-timer and sometime team-mate of 6 across (4)
- Country originally expected to win the World Cup group from which Australia almost qualified (6)
- Shooting suddenly and powerfully (7, 3)



DOWN

- England Youth international forward David — — — has been seen with Leicester and Peterborough (8)
- £13dn. Ramsey's address (3, 3)
- The successor to Southend, say (6)
- A word to describe the time (usually of the order of thirty minutes) (5)
- Forward who began with his local club, Rochdale, in the mid-1960s but shared his 300 League games largely between Tranmere and Chester (8)
- Forward Kevin seen with Derby and Ipswich in the eighties (6)
- Old Notts County, WBA and England striker (5)
- See 2 down

Answers to No. 19:

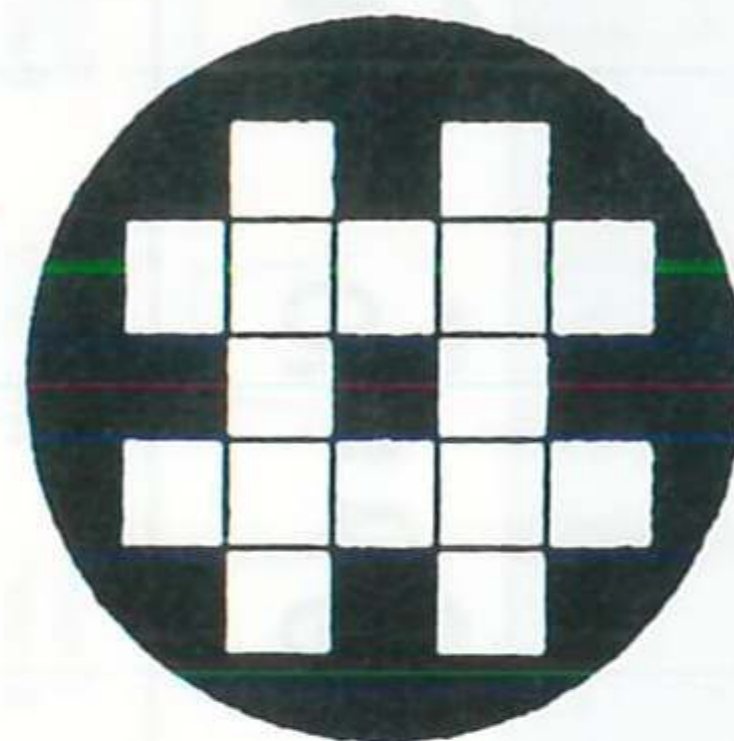
Across: 6. league, 7. Home/home, 8. gate, 9. eight, 12 & 11. free-kicks, 14. Owen, 15. See 5 down. **Down:** 1. flags, 2. part-timer, 3. defensive, 4. Rotherham, 5 & 15ac. Ted Vizard. 10. Leeds. 13. Bob.

ANSWERS IN THE NEXT PROGRAMME

ON THE BALL No. 20

Every answer has five letters and the first one fits into the top line, but you have to decide where the rest must go.

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Answers to No. 19: RIGHT, THREE, INTER, MILNE.

QUICK QUIZ No. 20

- Who were England's opponents in their first-ever floodlit match?
- En route to the 1986 World Cup, West Germany lost their first-ever qualifying match — to whom?
- If the local paper reported on Abertawe versus Casnewydd, what would an English paper report on?
- Who was the last man to pass 40 League goals in a season?
- When last did two players in the same city score 30 League goals apiece for different teams?

Answers to No. 19

- Turkey, 2. Ian Britton, 3. QPR, 4. Wigan, 5. Arsenal.

SOCCER CENTURION No. 20

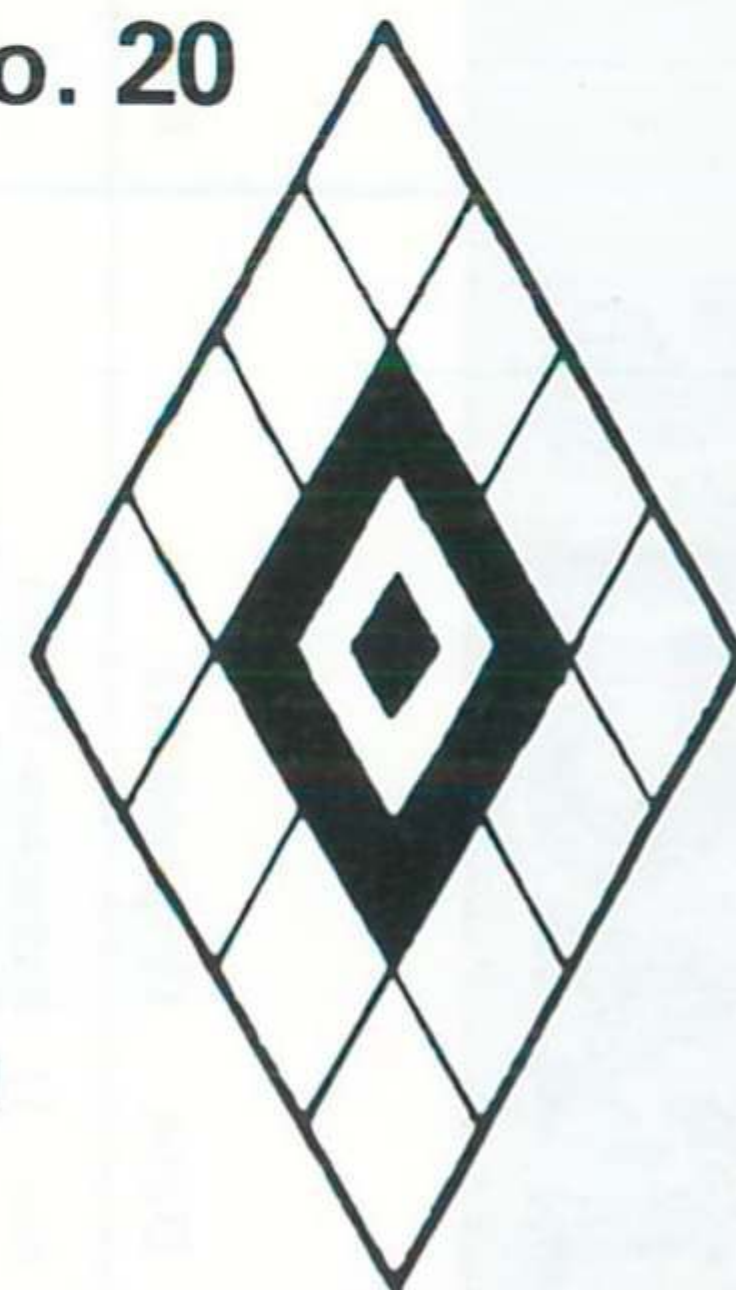
Tot up exactly a ton adding the numbers indicated by these clues:

- Kevin Keegan's England appearances
- Club's in the fifth round of the FA Cup
- Uwe Seeler's matches in World Cup final tournaments

Answers to No. 19. 10 + 6 + 84.

FITNESS TEST No. 20

Re-arrange all the letters of
BERT WILLIAMS
to create four four-lettered
words that fit the edges of
the diamond.



Answers to No. 19
HELM/MORN HAND/DURN

FACTS

Date		Opponents	F.A.	Att.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Aug.	17	Rotherham United	1-1	5,129	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Rudge†	Sutton	Came	Thompson	Caldwell¹	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Walker
	20	Stockport County (MC1 1L)	4-1	3,311	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Sutton	Came†	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross²	Hartford¹	Bell¹	Oghani
	24	Doncaster Rovers	1-1	3,414	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Sutton	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell†	Cross¹	Hartford	Bell	Oghani
	26	Bury (7.30pm)	1-4	8,772	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Sutton	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross¹	Hartford	Bell†	Oghani
	31	Gillingham	1-2	2,773	Farnworth	Joyce	Scott	Rudge	Sutton	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Oghani
Sept.	2	Stockport County (MC1 2L)	1-1	2,573	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce†	Came	Allardyce	Thompson²	Caldwell†	Cross	Hartford	Walker	Caldwell¹
	7	Wolverhampton W.	4-1	4,986	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell†	Cross²	Hartford	Oghani	Walker
	14	Walsall	0-2	4,532	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	17	Lincoln City	1-1	3,928	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson¹	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	21	Newport County	1-0	2,212	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Phillips
	25	Nottingham Forest (MC2 1L)	0-4	10,530	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	28	Plymouth Argyle	3-1	4,270	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Joyce
	1	York City	0-3	4,680	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Joyce
Oct.	5	Reading	0-1	8,000	Farnworth	Scott†	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Bell
	8	Nottingham Forest (MC2 2L)	0-3	4,010	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Bell
	12	Brentford	1-2	4,106	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Bell
	19	Swansea City	1-1	3,558	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson¹	Came	Scott	Walker	Caldwell†	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Walker
	22	Bristol Rovers	1-2	4,308	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Scott	Walker	Caldwell¹	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Walker
	26	Cardiff City	1-0	2,502	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson	Scott	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Fitzpatrick
Nov.	2	A.F.C. Bournemouth	1-0	3,800	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson¹	Scott	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Fitzpatrick
	5	Darlington	0-3	2,902	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson†	Scott	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Cross
	9	Notts County	0-1	4,497	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Scott	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Caldwell
	16	Wrexham (FAC 1)	1-3	2,738	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Scott	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Rudge
	23	Derby County	0-1	5,887	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Fitzpatrick†	Oghani	Entwistle†	Hartford	Bell	Fitzpatrick
	30	Bristol City	0-2	6,253	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Oghani	Entwistle†	Hartford	Bell	Fitzpatrick
Dec	14	Chesterfield	2-1	3,621	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Oghani	Entwistle†	Hartford	Bell	Cross
	21	Doncaster Rovers	2-0	4,546	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Oghani	Entwistle†	Hartford	Bell	Caldwell
	26	Blackpool	1-1	9,473	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Came	Sutton	Joyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross²	Hartford¹	Bell	Walker
Jan.	1	Wigan Athletic	1-2	9,252	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Rudge	Sutton	Joyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Rudge
	11	Gillingham	0-1	5,232	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Neal	Sutton	Joyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Rudge
	18	Rotherham United	0-4	3,821	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Neal	Sutton	Joyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Oghani
	20	Stockport County (FRT)	2-2	1,874	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Neal	Sutton	Joyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Oghani
	25	Walsall	3-1	4,088	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Neal	Sutton	Joyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Oghani
Feb.	28	Crewe Alexandra (FRT)	1-0	2,428	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Oghani	Caldwell¹	Hartford	Bell	Allardyce/Entwistle
	1	Wolverhampton W.	2-0	3,110	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Oghani	Caldwell¹	Hartford	Bell	Entwistle
	4	Bristol Rovers	0-2	3,672	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips†	Thompson	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Oghani	Caldwell	Hartford	Joyce	Entwistle
	8	Swansea City	0-2	4,242	Farnworth	Scott	Neal	Thompson†	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Oghani	Caldwell	Hartford	Joyce	Entwistle
	22	Newport County	1-3		Farnworth	Scott	Neal	Thompson†	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Oghani	Caldwell	Hartford¹	Bell	Entwistle

NEXT HOME MATCHES

Central League	Canon League Division Three
BLACKPOOL	YORK CITY
Wednesday 26th February	Tuesday 4th March
Kick-off 7.00 p.m.	Kick-off 7.30 p.m.

Home matches and goalscorers in bold type. † Player substituted. ● Substitute used. ★ Own goal.

FACTS

CANON LEAGUE DIVISION THREE

(Up to and including Tuesday 18th February 1986)

	HOME			AWAY			GOALS			GOALS			Pts
	P	W	D	L	F	A	L	F	A	L	F	A	
Reading	28	10	2	2	26	16	2	18	13	2	18	13	64
Gillingham	30	9	3	2	33	11	6	24	23	4	24	23	54
Wigan Athletic	30	11	4	0	40	10	3	15	22	7	15	22	51
Derby County	25	7	2	2	27	9	6	24	11	1	24	11	50
Walsall	30	11	4	1	41	16	4	18	26	9	18	26	50
Doncaster Rovers	33	6	7	3	15	14	7	20	25	6	20	25	50
Notts County	30	8	4	2	29	15	5	19	24	6	19	24	48
Plymouth Argyle	30	10	3	3	32	17	4	16	24	7	16	24	46
Bristol City	30	10	3	3	29	14	2	16	28	6	16	28	45
Brentford	30	7	5	4	20	18	5	14	22	7	14	22	43
Rotherham United	30	10	4	3	32	12	1	11	23	7	11	23	42
Blackpool	29	6	5	4	27	13	5	20	20	6	20	20	41
York City	29	8	3	3	27	12	4	20	28	9	20	28	41
Bristol Rovers	27	8	3	4	19	12	4	19	31	7	19	31	40
Newport County	29	5	6	4	21	16	2	9	15	4	9	15	35
AFC Bournemouth	30	7	3	5	30	20	3	14	26	10	14	26	35
Chesterfield	29	5	5	3	21	17	6	14	20	7	14	20	35
Bolton Wanderers	30	6	3	7	21	22	3	9	22	9	9	22	32
Darlington	27	4	3	4	26	23	4	16	31	9	16	31	30
Cardiff City	32	4	3	9	12	21	3	26	38	9	26	38	30
Bury	28	6	4	3	26	15	4	13	28	10	13	28	29
Swansea City	32	7	3	6	17	17	1	10	43	13	10	43	29
Lincoln City	28	5	5	4	21	22	0	12	32	9	12	32	25
Wolverhampton W.	30	4	3	8	19	33	3	18	36	10	18	36	24

CENTRAL LEAGUE FIXTURES

Date	Opponents	Goals F A
1985		
Aug.	21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	6-4
	28 Rotherham United	3-1
Sept.	3 Grimsby Town	1-2
	11 Middlesbrough	0-3
	18 Port Vale	3-1
	24 Blackpool	1-5
Oct.	2 Stoke City	4-0
	16 York City	2-1
	23 Preston North End	1-1
	30 Coventry City	1-2
Nov.	6 Scunthorpe United	1-1
	12 Burnley	3-0
	20 Sunderland	2-0
	26 Notts County	2-4
Dec	4 Doncaster Rovers	0-1
	10 Bradford City	1-1
	18 Grimsby Town	2-0
1986		
Jan	13 Wolverhampton Wanderers	0-2
	21 Middlesbrough	0-6
	29 Rotherham United	3-2
Feb.	3 Oldham Athletic	2-1
	5 York City	0-1
	19 Port Vale	
	26 Blackpool	
Mar.	5 Stoke City	
	12 Oldham Athletic	
	19 Scunthorpe United	
	26 Coventry City	
Apr.	2 Burnley	
	8 Sunderland	
	16 Notts County	
	23 Doncaster Rovers	
	30 Bradford City	
	<i>To be arranged</i>	
	Preston North End	



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8. George Oghani
9. Tony Caldwell
10. Asa Hartford
11. Graham Bell
- 12.

NEWPORT COUNTY

Amber and Black

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2. Linden Jones
3. Peter Jones
4. Steve Berry
5. Roy Carter
6. Terry Boyle
7. Alan Mayes
8. John Relish
9. Bob Latchford
10. Gordon Staniforth
11. John Lewis
- 12.

Today's Referee

GEORGE COURTNEY (Spennymoor, Co. Durham)

Headteacher. Married with one son. Commenced refereeing in 1962 and progressed via Auckland, Wearside and Northern Leagues. Appointed to F.I.F.A. list in 1977 and U.E.F.A. list in 1979. Has officiated at many World Cup and European Cup matches and refereed the following Finals: 1977 Trophy; 1979 Charity Shield; 1980 F.A. Cup; 1982 U.E.F.A. Cup; 1983 Milk Cup; 1984 Associate Members' Cup. Interested in tennis, golf, squash and music. Also enjoys Wilbur Smith and Robert Ludlum novels and talking about football refereeing. Spends a vast amount of time training for his refereeing and is very keen on athletics.

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	NEWCASTLE UNITED
R	QUEENS PARK RANGERS
	LUTON TOWN
S	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY
	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR
T	WATFORD
	NOTTINGHAM FOREST
U	WEST HAM UNITED
	MANCHESTER CITY
V	FULHAM
	BLACKBURN ROVERS
W	PORTSMOUTH
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